THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI P.V. RANGAYYA NAIDU): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) Of the total 650 telephone exchanges in Kerala State, 178 exchanges (163 stations) are already provided with STD/ISD facility. The remaining 472 exchanges are planned to be provided with STD facility progressively during 8th Five Year Plan

(c) Does not arise.

**Supply of Coke Breeze to workers of IISCO**

5105 SHRI PIUS TIRKEY: Will the Minister of STEEL be pleased to state.

(a) whether "Coke Breeze" is being supplied to the workers of Indian Iron and Steel Company Ltd. Kulti, west Bengal, at subsidized rates,

(b) if so, the details of the coke breeze supplied to the workers in the last five years;

(c) the criterion and procedure for the distribution of " Coke Broreze " among the workers;

(d) whether any complaint of black marketing in this connection has been received by the management, and

(e) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF STEEL (SHRI SONT OSH MOHAN DEV): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) The quantities of coke breeze distributed among the workers during the last 5 years are as under:

| *Year* | *Quantity (Tonnes)* |
|---|---|
| ~~1986-87~~ | ~~2334.28~~ |
| 1987-88 | 3769.86 |
| 1988 89 | 3797.74 |
| 1989-90 | 3734.48 |
| 1990-91 | 3155.82 |

~~DHARANA of SC/ST Employees in Delhi~~

5106. SHRI RAMCHANDRA VEERAPPA: Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

(a) whether a *dharna* outside Sanchar Bhawan, Delhi by the Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribe employees of the Mahanagar, Telephone Nigam Limited was organised in February, 1992;

(b) if so, the reasons thereof; and

(c) the reaction of the Government thereto?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER OF THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI P.V. RANGAYYA NAIDU): (a) P & T SC/ST Employees Welfare Association held *Dharna* outside Sanchar Bhavan on 25-2 92.

(b) The *dharna* was organised in support of the following demands:

1. Application of reservation in promotions in Time Bound One Promotion (TBOP) Scheme w.e.f. 30-11-83.

2. Promotion of SC/ST Employees under the Scheme of Biennial Cadre Review on completion of one years